

First interstellar spaceship with human crew aboard was made in 2032. Named G-Dror xC (G-Freedom exceeding the speed of the light), powered by the advanced nuclear fusion reactor and graviton infusion device (GID), sailing under the pirate flag, fully weaponized (triple pinpoint laser, two anti-matter cannons, short/medium/long range missiles, EM shield, Graviton caster, enhanced Tesla coil, singularity mines), it was solely financed by the private investors lacking any backup from the governments worldwide because they were constantly engaged in an excessive decadence and mutual conflicts arising from their selfishness and greed. This are the log entries from the ship's command desk.

Captain Nemesis Journal

Part One - The New Horizons

Date: 18/11/2032.

We set sail for the new horizons.

The bravest of men. Us very few.

Chosen by the destiny to explore the cosmic depths of the unknown.

Truth is our reward! We seek no fame or fortune. Just the answers.

With the mercy of our Almighty Creator, I issue my prime order to the machinery operators, **TURN THE NUCLEAR ENGINES ON!**

And disengage the vessel`s supportings.

The entire ship started to wobble when dark matter fusion, initiated by the laser beam hitting the plasma core and contained by the strong magnetic field, began to fuse. Message from the engine room appeared on the holographic command screen in front of me: 10% ignition achieved, vessel`s supportings disengaged and waiting for the further instructions, fuel at 100%, ship status: voyage ready.

I vocally answer: received and confirmed.

Checking communications... Done.

Testing life systems on board... Done.

Navigation... Working.

All is well.

RAISE THE ENGINES TO 30% AND TURN THE ANTI-GRAVITY SHIELD ON! - I
Issued my subsequent order.

Wobbling strenghtened but still in the borders of the reasonable.

"30% ignition achieved, anti-gravity shield turned on and waiting for the
further instructions" - machinery operators replied.

RELEASE THE PRESSURE VENTS! Let us take this beauty up in the open skies where it belongs.

Pressure vents released.

Ship literally blasted off the Earth`s surface, cutting swift through the atmosphere.

Suddenly five different clusters of objects appeared on the radar. We are being followed.

"You are not allowed to leave the Earth!" - male voice hysterically shouted after I opened the communications channel.

"By whose authority?" - I asked.

"By the authority of the United Cosmic Alliance!" - voice replied.

"We do not recognize such an authority! As the matter of fact, we do not recognize anyone`s authority over the free men of the G-Dror xC!" - I yelled back.

"Don`t argue. Just send them the surprise package!" - First Officer suggested.

Surprise package is how we call the singularity mine. We fill the graviton accumulator and release it behind our vessel. Activated by the vicinity of the enemy crafts it critically concentrates the gravitons into the singularity which then devours everything in its proximity zipping it into the dot of an infinitesimal size.

"I like your idea. Let`s "sing" them! Dispatch the mine!" - I ordered.

Small shaft on the G-Dror xC left side opened and the mine was released.

Soon the enemy horde was vanquished. But not all!

There are two clusters of objects, total of 20 ships, still on our tail! I suggest evasion manouver!" - First Officer proposed.

"That won`t be necessary! - I confidently answered encouraged by the new dot appearing on the screen.

"Commander Mirabilis of the Fi-Eon Baby Bee reporting to the duty!" - female voice identified herself. "Do I have the permission to engage the remaining enemy?"

"You have the permission!" - I said.

Fi Eon Baby Bee flew in front of the hostiles firing two specially designed harpoons which chopped the enemy vessels one by one before automatically returning to their docking bays. After few minutes job was entirely done.

"Task accomplished!" - Commander Mirabilis reported. "Danger neutralised".

"Excellent work, Mirabilis. We are ready to proceed with our journey as soon as you anchor" - I replied.

Fi Eon Baby Bee anchored with the G-Dror xC.

"Power to the 20%! EM shield on! Cast the gravitons!" - I instructed.

"Power at the 20%, EM shield turned on and gravitons are casted!" - engine operator answered.

"Power to the maximum and head straight towards the graviton field!" - I ordered.

The major difference between the graviton accumulator and the graviton caster is that accumulator concentrates the gravitons into the singularity while caster spreads the gravitons, producing the graviton field which shrinks the spacetime, enabling us to artificially increase the speed above the C limit. We are not actually traveling faster than light - we are cheating the spacetime. After we pass desired length the spacetime then returns back to its normal size. Instead of traveling 1m - we have crossed 100m or more depending on the amount of gravitons released.

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